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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF	:	
	:	Administrative Action
JODI B. ALLEN, RN	:	
License No. 26NR11437700	:	CONSENT ORDER
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TO PRACTICE NURSING	:	
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing (the "Board") upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed. On or around May 10, 2012, Jodi B. Allen ("Respondent") completed an online biennial license renewal application which asked "Will you have completed the required continuing education credits by May 31, 2012," referring to the thirty hours of continuing education required during the June 1,

2010 - May 31, 2012 biennial period. Respondent answered "yes" and certified that answer to be true by submitting the online application. On or around August 29, 2013, the Board sent Respondent a demand for a written statement under oath requesting certain information from Respondent including certificates of completion of all credits earned during the renewal period of June 1, 2010 - May 31, 2012. Respondent replied providing proof that she completed her continuing education after the June 1, 2010 - May 31, 2012 renewal period.

The Board finds that Respondent's failure to complete 30 hours of continuing education during the June 1, 2010 - May 31, 2012 biennial period constitutes a violation of N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.3, which the Board deems professional misconduct within the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e) and also constitutes a violation or failure to comply with a regulation administered by the Board within in the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(h).

Further, the Board finds that Respondent's submission of her 2012 renewal, wherein she answered affirmatively that she had completed, or would complete, the required continuing education, when she did not complete the required continuing education, constitutes the use or employment of dishonesty, deception, or misrepresentation within the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

Respondent, being desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of further formal proceedings, and agreeing to waive any right to same, and the Board having previously vacated a Provisional and a Final Order of Discipline in this matter via an order filed on August 28, 2014, and the Board having determined that this order is sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and all parties agreeing to the terms of this order;

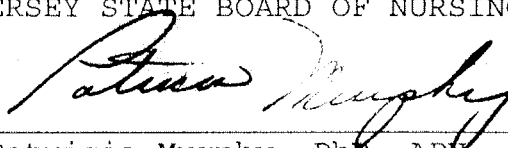
IT IS on this 18th day of May, 2015,
HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:

1. A civil penalty in the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) is imposed upon Respondent for failing to timely complete her continuing education requirements. Payment shall be made by certified check or money order payable to "State of New Jersey," delivered to George Hebert, Executive Director, State of Board of Nursing, P.O. Box 45010, Newark, New Jersey 07101. Payment shall be made contemporaneously with submission of this signed order. In the event Respondent fails to make a timely payment, a certificate of debt shall be filed in accordance with N.J.S.A. 45:1-24 and the Board may bring such other proceedings as authorized by law.

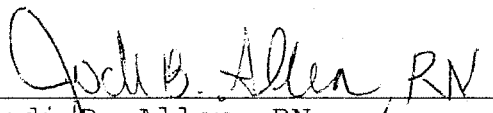
2. Respondent is reprimanded for her violation of
N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:


Patricia Murphy, PhD, APRN
Board President

I have read and understand
the within Consent Order
and agree to be bound by
its terms.


Jodi B. Allen, RN